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Sir:

In the Communication dated October 17, 2006, in connection with the above-identified application, the Examiner indicated that there was no record in either the PALM or eDAN systems of the Information Disclosure Statement filed on June 9, 2005. Attached hereto is a copy of the Information Disclosure Statement filed on June 9, 2005, including the foreign documents cited therein, and a copy of the return receipt postcard dated stamped by the U. S. Patent and Trademark Office on June 9, 2005.

In view of the above, the Examiner is respectfully requested to return an initialed copy of the form PTO-1449 to the undersigned as soon as possible.

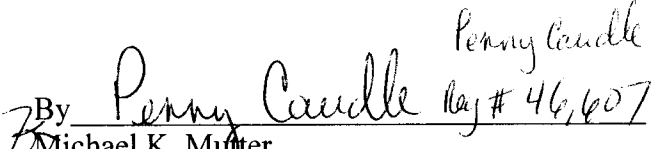
Should there be any outstanding matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Penny Caudle (Reg. No. 46,607) at

the telephone number of the undersigned below, to conduct an interview in an effort to expedite prosecution in connection with the present application.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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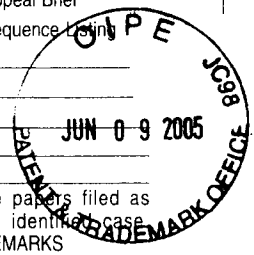
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